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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA	RATE (\$)	FEE (\$)
TOTAL CLAIMS	30	minus	28	2	52.00	104.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	minus	3	0	220.00	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM ADDED				0	390.00	0.00
TOTAL DUE						<b>104.00</b>

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required to Deposit Account 11-0600. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

A petition for an one (1) month extension of time and Deposit Account authorization to cover the extension fee are enclosed.

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